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Hi Steve,

Thanks for the email and I appreciate your questions. I called Bruce yesterday to have the same discussion but we had to postpone until Thursday.

I am here today -- one meeting at 10 AM at the Corps and then I'll be back. Do you have time to talk with me after that?

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Erin --

thanks for the reminder. We're deciding who to make available to this effort. Will inform.

I think I volunteered to help with some aspect of this wrt Suisun Marsh. I'm a little fuzzy on the details and expectations. When you have a minute could you help me understand what will be involved in supporting this effort? We could talk on the phone if that's easier. I'm in today and then back next week.

Steve

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Subject Update on State Board Workshops & reminder

Hi Everyone,

I just wanted to pass along some new information about upcoming State Board workshops about the update of the Delta WQCP in case some of you are not on the lyris automatic update and/or didn't see the 6/22 announcement.

The workshop date, topics, & format have been adjusted.

#### PARTICIPATION DEADLINE

... persons interested in participating in the Bay-Delta workshop panels should send an email to Bay-Delta@waterboards.ca.gov as soon as possible and no later than noon on July 6, 2012. In the subject of your email, please include the title "Bay-Delta Workshop Panels."

#### WORKSHOP FORMAT

Each workshop will include a presentation by an invited panel organized by Dr. Peter Goodwin, the Lead Scientist for the Delta Stewardship Council's Science Program, interest panels organized by Dr. Bernstein and an opportunity for public comment. The workshops will also include time for questions directed to panelists by the State Water Board Comprehensive Bay-Delta Plan Workshops and its staff. The proposed panels are listed below but may change based on discussions between Dr. Bernstein and participants:

- Ø Invited panel (organized by the Delta Stewardship Council Lead Scientist)
- Ø State and federal regulatory agencies/fishery agencies panel
- Ø State and federal resource management agencies panel
- Ø Environmental/non-governmental organizations panel

- Ø In-Delta water interests panel
- Ø State Water Project/Central Valley Project contractors panel
- Ø Sacramento Valley water suppliers panel
- Ø San Joaquin Valley water suppliers panel

#### WORKSHOP DATES & TOPICS

Workshop 1: Ecosystem Changes and the Low Salinity Zone  
Wednesday, September 5, 2012  
continuing on Thursday, September 6, 2012 if necessary

Workshop 2: Bay-Delta Fishery Resources  
Tuesday and Wednesday September 18 and 19, 2012  
continuing on Monday October 1, 2012 if necessary

Workshop 3: Analytical Tools for Evaluating Water Supply,  
Hydrodynamic and Hydropower Effects  
Tuesday and Wednesday, October 2 and 3, 2012

For details read the announcement here

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